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1. On 20 June two Soviet naval vessels with the designations "X4" and "X5" of the Soviet 2 Naval Squadron, in the Port Arthur-Dairen area, left Dairen heading south, rounded Okinawa, and proceeded northeast along the Japan coast. At 7:25 p.m. on 28 June the vessel "X4" had reached a point near (147-30, 40-00). At 2:20 a.m. on 29 June the vessel "X5" had arrived at a point near (148-00, 37-30). Both were still heading northeast at a speed of 16 knots.
2. In early June other Soviet vessels followed the same route, eventually arriving at Vladivostok after rounding Hokkaido.

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